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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

A very interesting, comprehensive review on fibrotic mechanisms associated with liver inflammation and anti-fibrotic therapies. Well-written, tables/ figures are of high quality and a nice addition to the text.



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The manuscript by Dr. Albert J. Czaja summarizes the mechanisms of liver fibrogenesis derived from hepatic inflammation that is triggered by virus infection and immune dysfunction. The author also discusses the anti-fibrotic properties and performance of conventional treatments, and finally concludes that anti-fibrotic agents are needed to supplement this effort, and the anti-oxidants and angiotensin inhibitors are prime candidates I think this is a nice review article for the treatment of liver fibrogenesis caused by hepatic inflammation is worthy for publication.



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An excellent review article, with very good learning highlights for young professionals.